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Report from Puerto Barrios—Fruit port.

PUERTO BARRIOS, GUATEMALA, August 4, 1902.

SIR: The sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week ended August 2, has been good. The following vessels have cleared: July 29, American steamship *Breakwater*, for New Orleans, with 3 passengers and 6 pieces of disinfected baggage. July 30, Norwegian steamship *Managua*, for Mobile, with cargo of fruit.

Respectfully,

D. P. ALBERS,

Resident Medical Inspector for the Louisiana State Board of Health, Puerto Barrios.

The Surgeon-General.

HONDURAS.

Weekly report of conditions and transactions at La Ceiba-Fruit port.

LA CEIBA, HONDURAS, August 2, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report of the conditions and transactions at this port during the week ended August 2, 1902:

Present officially estimated population, about 4,000. Number of cases and deaths from yellow fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from smallpox during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from typhus fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from cholera during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from plague during the week, none; number of deaths from other causes during the week, 2. Prevailing disease, malaria. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following vessels: July 28, American steamship *David*; crew, 24; passengers from this port, none; passengers in transit, none; baggage disinfected, none. July 31, British steamship *Usk*; crew, 20; passengers from this port, none; passengers in transit, none; baggage disinfected, none.

Respectfully,

W. B. ROBERTSON, Acting Assistant Surgeon.

The SURGEON-GENERAL.

Weekly report of conditions and transactions at Puerto Cortez-Fruit port.

PUERTO CORTEZ, HONDURAS, August 7, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report of the conditions and transactions at this port during the week ended August 7, 1902:

Population according to census of 1896, 1,856; present officially estimated population, 2,000. Number of cases and deaths from yellow fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from smallpox during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from typhus fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from cholera during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from plague during the week, none; number of deaths from other causes during the week, none. Prevailing disease, malarial fever. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following vessels: July 31, steamship *Breakwater*; crew, 34; passengers from this port, 9; passengers in